

Sales at Auction.

Wednesdays and Saturdays,
WILL BE OFFERED,
Auction Office on Union Street,
Between King and Prince—
extensive and general assortment
of seasonable Goods, of British,
German, India, and Domestic
manufacture, which will be well select-
ed and worthy the attention of
country merchants and others;
undersigned will be abundantly
satisfied from the manufacturers and their
agents in Boston, New York and Phila-
delphia, which will give gentlemen an
opportunity of laying in their goods on as
advantageous terms as they can be in those cities,
into view the difference of Ex-
change, etc. etc.
particular description of goods
advertised in the papers of the
signments strictly attended to and
advances made if desirable.
John Jackson & Co.
Auctioneers.
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SALES AT VENDUE:

very Tuesday and Friday,
WILL BE SOLD,
Vendue Store, corner of Prince
and Water Streets,
A VARIETY OF
Goods, Groceries, &c.
of which will be expressed in
the bills of the day.
All kind of goods which are on
hand and the prices of which are
fixed, can at any time be viewed
and purchased at the lowest limitation
prices.
P. G. MARSTELLER.

Fresh Teas &c.
Chests Gunpowder, Imperial and
hyson Teas, of the latest importa-
tion.
Sicily Madeira Wine, well
bottled, and at a very low price.
Also,
Port, Sherry and Tene-
rines, with a general assortment of
Wines & Groceries.—For sale by
JOHN H. CREASE.
April 19

R. DARRAH,
Surgeon Dentist,
RESPECTFULLY informs the La-
dies and Gentlemen of Alexandria
city, that he has taken a room
at Guy Atkinson's house in Fairfax-
street, where he will be happy to wait on
in the line of his profession. He
also inserts Artificial Teeth, from
a whole set, in the most improved
method. He mends teeth with silver
or as useful as ever they were.
He cleans, separates and extracts teeth,
and stumps in the best manner.
April 23

Shad and Herrings.
JOHN G. LADD & CO.
Sh to contract to receive at the
price of 25,000 Shad, and 120,000 Her-
rings for which a fair price will be given,
April 7

**Alexandria Morocco Manufac-
tory.**
The Corner of Oronoko & Water
streets near the Fish wharf,
where may be had, Morocco for gen-
eral use, Morocco and American
of all colors for ladies' shoes, coach-
es and hatters' Linings. Skins, hats,
and spinning wool. The above are
manufactured in the best manner
and subscribers.
John D. Benkhert & Co.
B. All kinds of Silks scowered and
in the best manner.
November 7

Twenty Dollars Reward.
A way from the subscriber living
Fairfax court house, on the 15th of
May, a negro man named JESS—
about 25 years of age, about 5 feet 11
inches high, dark complexion. He had
when he went away a dark cloth coat,
black cloth pants and various
clothing. I will give the above
reward if he be taken 25 miles or upwards
from home and secured so that I get him
and, if nearer, ten dollars.
Susannah Powell.
Fairfax County, Virginia,
March 6—19

Land for Sale.
Two hundred and twenty four Acres
of the Tract on which the subscrib-
er present resides, about four miles
Alexandria. The soil is fertile,
well wooded; few situations in Vir-
ginia (from its natural advantages) more
valuable than this; having some beau-
tiful spots for building, commanding an
extensive view of the Potomac and the
entire country, comprehending the es-
tates of Mount Vernon, Woodlawn, Hay-
market, together with the lands of General
Mason, and the farm of the late Mrs.
Summersley and others.
The above property be not disposed
before the 10th day of May, being Sa-
turday, it will then be offered at Pub-
lic Sale, on the premises, to the high-
 bidder. The terms of payment will
be made known.
JAMES PATTON.
Lifton Lodge, April 14

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For Freight.

The copper bottomed brig
BOXER, Wm. Merrill, mas-
ter; carries about 1600 bar-
rels, is a first rate vessel,
sails fast, and will be ready to receive a
cargo in four days. Apply to
LAWRASON & FOWLE,
Who have for sale, said brig's cargo, of
150 tons plaister
20 boxes white Havana Sugars
7 do brown } entitled to debent.
2 barrels }
4 boxes, containing 12 } Castor
bottles each } Oil.
April 22

FOR FREIGHT,
Ship Maria, burthen \$500
barrels, is a well built sub-
stantial vessel, in complete
order for the immediate re-
ception of a cargo.
Also
Ship Wilhelmina, burthen
4000 barrels; is in prime or-
der and can be ready to re-
ceive a cargo in a few days.
Apply to
LAWRASON & FOWLE.
March 25

New-Orleans Sugar & Molasses
LANDING this day at Central wharf,
from the schr Jefferson, capt. John-
son.
52 hds 1st quality N Orleans Sugar
50 do do Molasses
For sale by
LAWRASON & FOWLE.
April 22

For Freight,
The schooner JEFFERSON
Ebenezer Johnston, master,
burthen about 800 bbls. is a
new vessel, sails fast and will
be ready to receive a cargo in three days
and take freight either to Europe, the W
Indies or coastwise.
April 22 apply as above.

**For Boston, or any foreign
Port,**
The staunch new brig COB-
BOSSEE CONTEE, Howes,
master; burthen 1200 bbls.
will be ready to receive a
cargo in a few days. Apply to
DUNBAR & TOWNSEND,
Who have for sale, landing from the said
vessel,
4 hogheads and } N. E. Rum
120 barrels }
50 boxes Lemons, in good order
10 bags Calcutta Sugar
15 trunks, containing men's, women's
and misses' Shoes
10 cases Hats, different kinds
130 casks Thomastown Lime
150 reams Wrapping Paper.
April 25

Oats and Rye Flour.
JOHN G. LADD AND CO.
OFFER FOR SALE,
THE CARGO of sloop Traveller,
from New York, consisting of
3600 bushels Albany Seed Oats
77 barrels (new) Rye Flour.
For New-York,
The sloop TRAVELLER, J.
Beaton, master; burthen 600
barrels; will be ready to receive a cargo
in a few days. For freight or passage
apply as above.
April 10

Hemp, Iron, &c.
LANDING from the schr New Packet,
Capt. Crosby, and for sale by
LAWRASON & FOWLE,
18 tons first qual. St. Petersburg hemp
15 do Swedes' iron, square bars, of 3-4,
7-8 and 1 inch
20 barrels } New England Rum
5 hogheads }
38 casks cheese
60 tons plaister Paris.
For Boston,
The regular trading schooner,
or NEW PACKET, Sylva-
nus Crosby, master; and will
commence loading in 4 days
and take freight on moderate terms.—
Apply as above.
April 23

For Freight,
The Schooner STORK, Da-
vid Soule master, burthen
about 700 barrels, is a good
vessel, will be ready for the
cargo in 4 days, and take freight for the
West Indies or Coastwise. Apply to
LAWRASON & FOWLE,
Who have for sale,
Said schooner's cargo of
60 tons Plaister Paris
20,000 feet Lumber
15 cords hemlock Bark
They have also landing from schooner
Republican, capt. Bangs,
30 tons Swedes Iron, square bars of
of 1, 1-8, 1-4 inches
50 boxes mould Candles
April 18

For Newburyport,

The sloop CHARLES, Jas.
Foreman, master, will sail in
ten days. For freight of 200
bbls. or passage, apply to
JOHN G. LADD & Co.
may 2

For Providence, RI

The packet brig GEORGE
WASHINGTON, C. Gorton
master, will sail in a few days
—For freight of 100 bbls. or
passage, having very good accommoda-
tions, apply to
May 2 **JOHN G. LADD & Co.**

For Freight,

The brig Commerce,
John Wade, master, carries
about thousand six hundred bar-
rels, a substantial vessel, in good order
and will be ready to receive a cargo in
a few days. Apply to
LAWRASON & FOWLE.
Who have received per said brig from
Newburyport and for sale,
50 barrels New England rum
3 cases hats
March 19

FOR BOSTON AND PORTLAND

The brig Nimrod,
Captain Prince,
will be ready to receive a
cargo in two days, and take freight for
either of the above places. Apply to
LAWRASON & FOWLE.
Who have for sale, said brig's car-
go, of 130 tons Plaister Paris.
April 4

Bolting Cloths.
The subscriber has just received by the
General Lingam, Captain Weston, from
Amsterdam, a large and elegant assort-
ment of Bolting Cloths, of a superior qual-
ity, which will be offered for sale at the
store of Mr. James Anderson.
Amos Alexander.
October 6

Potatoes & Tobacco.

JOHN G. LADD & Co. have rec'd
per sloop Charles, from Newbury-
port, and offer for sale,
100 barrels Potatoes.
Also, per schr Dolphin, from Richmond,
9 kegs Harris's snail twist manu-
factured Tobacco.
April 22

Hardware & Cutlery.

The subscriber has a few casks Hard-
ware and Cutlery, which he will sell
very low for cash or on a short credit.
HE HAS ALSO,
A handsome assortment of
Good, opened,
With a general assortment of
FANCY GOODS.
Country merchants and others
will find it to their interest to call and
see the Goods.
John Johnston,
King street, opposite the Wash-
ington Tavern, Alexandria.
March 4

Muscovado Sugar.

JOHN G. LADD & Co. have received
per ship America, and offer for sale
33 hogheads prime Muscovado Sugar
Also,
Per schooner Franklin, from Norfolk,
2 half pipes London particular Ma-
deira Wine, of superior quality
April 18

John G. Ladd & Co.

Have received and offer for Sale,
300 casks Thomastown lime
200 casks Rhode Island do
200 tons plaister Paris
1000 bushels Cadiz salt
1 bale English seine twine
1 pipe Lisbon wine
9 kegs manufactured tobacco
3 tierces furs
April 1

Potomac and Shenandoah Na- vigation Lottery.

ON Friday next, the 28th day's draw-
ing, the first drawn number will be
entitled to a prize of \$500
1st dra n No. on the 28th day, 500
1st do do 50th 5,000
1st do do 31st 32d 33d &
34th each 1000
1st do do 35th 10,000
1st do do 36th 37th 38th &
39th each 500
1st do do 40th 15,000
After the 39th day's drawing the price
of Tickets will advance to Ten Dollars,
and will continue to rise until after the
40th day.
Merchants Bank Paper will not be re-
ceived in payment for tickets after the
29th day's drawing, at any price.
TICKETS at \$9, and shares in
proportion, for sale by
April 29 **R. GRAY.**

Prime Pork.

JOHN G. LADD & Co.
Offer for sale, landing from the schooner
Henrietta—
50 barrels prime PORK.
April 4

Turks Island Salt.

FOR SALE, a few hundred bushels
bright Turk's Island Salt, suitable
for packing fish, and will be sold low.
Apply to
April 28 **GEO. COLEMAN.**

Pork, Candles and Soap.

JOHN G. LADD & Co. have received
per schr Mary, from Baltimore, and
offer for sale,
50 bbls. prime pork
60 boxes yellow soap } of superi-
5 do white do } or quality
35 do mould candles } manufac-
tured in Baltimore, and can be recom-
mended for the use of families.
April 15

Bryan Hampson and Co.

Offer for sale,
5 puncheons old Jamaica
50 do fine flavored 3rd } RUM
4th proof Antigua
40 barrels N E Rum
60 barrels prime green } COFFEE
100 bags white
20 bags pepper
5000 bushels Liverpool fine and ground
allum salt
500 sacks fine salt
With a general assortment of Groce-
ries, and the best flour for family use.
March 26

Just received.

And for sale by the subscriber,
25 kegs tobacco, superior quality
50 bags coffee
1 hhd and 8 bbls prime Muscovado
sugars. **WM M CHICK**
March 10

The Subscriber offers for Sale,
At his Warehouse, Tucker's wharf,
3,000 bushels Turks Island salt
Antigua rum in hogheads and barrels
Whiskey in ditto
New England rum in ditto
Madeira wine in pipes, half pipes and
quarter casks
Sherry in ditto
Chewing tobacco in kegs—small twist
Nails in kegs assorted
Candles in boxes
English white lead ground in oil
Milled sheet lead
2 boxes servant's glossed hats
made of fur
10 bales English sackings
2 ditto do canvass, No. 3 to 6,
All of which will be sold low by
James Sanderson.
March 25

Young Hyson Tea.

JOHN G. LADD & Co. have received
per schooner Liberty, and offer for
sale,
5 chests Young Hyson Tea, of la-
test importation. April 14

Salt aloft.

On board the ship Wilhelmina at Cen-
tral Wharf
9000 bushels Lisbon salt suitable for
the Fisheries
For sale on board, or by
LAWRASON & FOWLE,
Who have in store for sale
5000 bushels coarse St. Ubes salt
1500 sacks Liverpool blown do
March 8

GROCERIES.

THE subscribers have just received
and offer for sale,
6 hhd and 20 bbls first and second
quality sugars
4 hhd 10 bbls good molasses
4 hhd 40 bbls whiskey, Baltimore
inspection
10 kegs ground ginger
4 bags rice do
15 casks cheese
10 boxes gunpowder tea } STAG's
4 chests young hyson do } Cargo.
1 bale writing paper
100 reams wrapping do
50 do tea do
20 dozen leading lines
10 do bed cords
3 bags alspice
2 do pepper
2 tierces rice
30 boxes mould and dipt candles
4 kegs Richmond tobacco, Dunlap's
manufactory
15 boxes No. 1 and 3 chocolate
20 bags coffee
8 kegs Garret's snuff
5 boxes fig blue
5 do mustard
1 barrel starch
25 bags assorted shot
D. P. & Co's, Brandywine gunpowder
Loaf sugar, copperas, alum, St. Peter's
salad oil, indigo, with a general assort-
ment of wines, liquors and groceries as
usual. **W. & F. MARBURY.**
April 12

Notice to Grocers.

The old establishment of John May,
deceased, Tobaccoist, situate 3 doors
below Marsteller's auction room and op-
posite Matthias Snyder's paint and oil
store, on Prince street, is now revived
and carried on more extensively in all
its branches than it ever before has been
done—under the firm of
Jonathan C. May and Co,
Customers are invited to apply, where
they may be furnished with the following
articles at wholesale and retail, on the
best terms for cash.

VIZ.
Prime cavendish
Ditto small twist from 8 to 10 per lb
Second quality do
Pigtail in rolls
Best Spanish segars warranted
Half Spanish do
American segars
Smoking tobacco in papers
Maccoboy snuff
Rappee and Scotch, in bottles and
bladders.
N. B. Several thousand weight of
tobacco stems for sale.
March 26

Fresh Teas.

THIS day landing from the schr Ju-
liet, from New-York,
20 chests choice Gunpowder, Imper-
ial and Young Hyson TEAS, of this
spring's importation, and selected par-
ticularly for family use.
For sale by
BRYAN HAMPSON & Co.
April 17

JOHN G. LADD & CO.

Have received per brig Economy from
Boston,
And offer for sale,
128 tons plaister paris
6 hhd and } muscovado sugar
50 barrels }
1 pipe Lisbon Wine
20 barrels apples
2 cases straw bonnets and hats of
various patterns
IN STORE,
75 tons wedes iron
25 tons Russia old sable iron
100 pieces Russia sheetings
140 Ravens duck
25 Russia duck
16 bales India goods, consisting of
Beerboom Gurraha
Mori sanuaks
Comercolly, chittabilly and luckipore
balfas
Auzengin mammodies
Madriass Handkerchiefs
Blue Gillas
Jock pullicat
1 bale German dowlas
20 pieces sattinets
1500 yards tow cloth
30 cases mens' fine and coarse hats
16 cases and barrels mens and boys
fine and coarse shoes
1000 sides prime NE seal leather
120 reams writing paper
Wrapping and sheating paper
1 keg Faxon's axes
30 casks cut nails
12000 lbs cordage assorted sizes
80 boxes long and short pipes
8 dining setts Canton china of 85
pieces each
6 hhd and 8 crates blue printed
and common Liverpool Ware
10 boxes 9 by 11 London crown
glass
500 bushels Liverpool blown salt
40 sacks do do
400 boxes mould and dipt candles
50 barrels tanners oil
100 boxes Florence oil
80 boxes double refined brimestone
Boxes Spanish chocolate
100 boxes No. 1 and 3 chocolate
10 barrels mackerel
5 barrels gross herrings
20 kegs pickled salmon
95 quarter casks sherry wine
4 pipes Madeira do
16 pipes Catalonia do
5 pipes Teneriffe do
2 pipes Lisbon do
40 kegs sweet Malaga do
20 do dry Malaga do
20 demijohns Madeira do
Boxes Spanish chocolate
32000 lbs prime St. Domingo coffee
14 boxes hyson and 10 boxes young
hyson tea
50 barrels muscovado sugar
25 cases white & brown Brazil sugar
2 hogheads molasses
50 barrels NE rum
700 lbs the cassia
15 kegs ginger
15 kegs raisins
50 half boxes Spanish segars
110 barrels No 1 beef
Mahogany furniture, consisting of bu-
reaux, wash and candle stands
An assortment of Hingham ware, con-
sisting of nests boxes, nests measures,
barrel covers, buckets, etc.
Most hoops and hanks
10 tons fustic.
April 4

Fresh Lime.

JOHN G. LADD & Co. offer for sale
the cargo of schooner Allegro, capt.
Welch, consisting of
300 casks fresh lime April 25

Plaster Paris.

JOHN G. LADD & Co. have received
per brig Cabossee Contee, and offer
for sale
82 tons plaster paris April 25

Coffee, Sugar, Tea, Iron, &c.

JOHN G. LADD & Co. offer for sale
the cargo of brig George Washington
from Providence, consisting of
7000 lbs prime green coffee in bags
40 bbls sugar
3 chests young hyson tea
8 tons Swedes' iron, flat & square
assorted sizes
1 bale bandanna handkerchiefs
45 bundles wrapping paper
100 bbls cider
20 bbls apples
515 bushels potatoes
4 boats April 25

Whiskey.

16 Hogheads } Whiskey,
54 Barrels }
For Sale by
LAWRASON & FOWLE.
April 18.

Lawrason & Fowle

Have received per the schooner Native,
Capt. Mayhew, from Boston,
and for sale,
62 tons plaister Paris
150 bbls N E Rum
50 bags Havana green coffee
50 do Sumatra pepper
700 reams wrapping paper
2 bales Burbour gurrahs
3 checks
2 Sooty roma,
4 bales of hops.
March 25

LINDSAY AND HILL

OFFER FOR SALE,
2000 bushels Albany seed Oats
15000 do salt for packing and striking
fish
100 bags Havanna green coffee
20 hhd West India rum
13 bales cotton
6 hhd. 4 tis. and 10 boxes sugar
10 do whiskey
120 tons plaister
50 do logwood
March 31

GROCERIES, &c.

80 chests imperial, young hyson, and
hyson teas, superior quality
4300 pieces short yellow nan- } First
keens } Chop
2600 do long do do }
150 bales burials, ticklenburg, Hes-
sians, creas dowlas, white and br.
plattias, estopillas & Britannies
200 boxes half pint, pint, & quart tum-
blers and decanters
20 casks best German steel
50 dozen German scythes and straw
knives
1 cask brats wire, for hair carpet
rods
150 hogheads, 25 tierces and 30 bar-
rels muscovado sugars
40 puncheons third and fourth proof
Antigua rum
10 pipes superior Sicily Madeira wine
100 boxes soap and candles
50 barrels no. 1 and 2 beef—
For sale by
CHARLES I. CATLETT,
Irwin's wharf,
April 15

Mandeville & Larmour,

offer for sale,
60 hhd whiskey
50 barrels do
80 barrels Northern rum
15 puncheons West India do
20 hhd. New-Orleans and Muscovado
sugars
50 bbls. do do do
10 hhd. New-Orleans Molasses
24 boxes brown Havanna sugar
220 bags green coffee
15 casks Goshen cheese
20 boxes } Chocolate, No. 1 & 2
10 half do }
252 lbs. Potant and Bengal indigo
20 kegs ground ginger
500 almonds
50 nutmegs
10 boxes Windsor and Rose soap
1000 bushels blown salt
1000 do. ground alum do.
Imperial, hyson, young hyson and
souchong teas, refined sugars and agene-
ral assortment of wines liquors and gro-
ceries as usual. April 5

JOHN WOOD,

HAS removed his cooper's shop to
King-Street, in the shop lately
occupied by Mr. Talbott. Where he is
prepared to execute the orders of his
friends with punctuality and dispatch.
He will constantly keep on hand arti-
cles in his line, particularly flour barrels
March 8

Alexandria Gazette.

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ROYAL-STREET.

Daily Gazette 7 Dollars.
Country Gazette 5 Dollars.

SATURDAY, MAY 3, 1817.

For Sale.

A CONVENIENT two story Frame Dwelling, situated on Royal Street, between King and Prince-streets, two doors south of the Gazette printing office. The front house is 22 by 30 feet, has a three foot alley in front, with a good kitchen, etc. and runs to a 16 foot alley, on which there is an excellent Frame Building 18 by 25 feet. Possession may be had on the 5th of May after which time the house will be open for inspection; and, if not sold before the 31st inst. it will then be disposed of at public auction—terms will be liberal. For particulars enquire of

JOSEPH INGALL.

May 3

Town Ordinance.

Extract from the act to remove nuisances, to preserve the health of the inhabitants of the town of Alexandria, &c. Sec. 14. Be it enacted, That the persons living on paved streets shall clean the footways opposite the property they occupy, and shall moreover wash such footways every Saturday from the first day of May until the last of September, unless prevented by the weather. Any inhabitant who shall not perform the said duties, shall for every neglect forfeit and pay thirty three cents. No person shall throw or cause to be thrown down from any cart, wagon or other carriage, or in any other manner, any rubbish, litter or dirt on any street, public lane or alley, and suffer the same to remain for more than twenty four hours, except in such quantities and in such places as may be allowed by the superintendent of police: Provided, that any person desirous of depositing on any street materials for building, shall apply to the superintendent of police, who shall appoint a proper place and assign a reasonable space for the depositing said materials. Whoever shall offend herein shall forfeit and pay five dollars for each offence, and be subject to the further penalty of one dollar for every day such building materials shall so remain, contrary to the provisions hereof.

The provisions contained in this section of the law will be strictly carried into execution.

GEORGE CORYELL,
Superintendent of Police.

May 3

Thirty Dollars Reward.

RAN AWAY from the subscriber on Tuesday the 29th day of April, a negro fellow named DANIEL, about 5 feet 10 inches high, about 20 years of age, a well made, likely mulatto fellow, down look when spoken to, was lately purchased of Col. George Denale of Alexandria—he is a carpenter by trade, late employed by Thomas Preston. Whoever takes up the said fellow and lodges him in jail or sends me information so that I get him again, shall receive the above reward.

JOHN L. ALFRED.
N. B. Any person taking up the said negro will write or give information to George Tolbert near Alexandria, should I be absent—he will be authorised to receive him and pay the reward.

May 1

Spring Goods

RICHARD SLADE has on board ship Franklin, just arrived at Baltimore from England, a part of his Spring Importation of

Hardware.

The remainder is daily expected per the Winifred, direct to this port.

He has on hand 70 dozen Waldron's

Corn and Grass Scythes,

improved sickles. Also, 100 cases superior quality cut nails and brads, blistered steel, cotton twist, and a variety of other Domestic Goods, which he will sell at the Philadelphia prices. Also,

Swedese Bar Iron and Steel,

May 1

Charles Slade

HAS received by the ship Franklin from Liverpool via Baltimore, a part of his Spring Importation of

Hardware.

The remainder he daily expects by the ship Winifred direct to this port.

He has always on hand a supply of DOMESTIC GOODS on consignment, which he is enabled to sell at the Philadelphia manufactory prices; among which are, Blistered steel; nails; cotton twist Weavers' reeds; cotton & wool cards Shovels; spades; a few trunks British cotton hosiery, etc. etc.

Also, A large and general assortment of

Swedese Bar Iron.

May 1

Notice.

A general meeting of the subscribers of shares in the Alexandria Canal Company, will be held in the town of Alexandria on the 12th day of May next, at the City Hotel, agreeable to law.

April 21

From the Connecticut Courant.

Short Chapters of Hints and Advice, on the subject of Hard Times.

BY ONE OF THE PEOPLE.—CHAP. I.

INTRODUCTION.

An itinerant preacher who rambled quite as much in his sermons as in his travels, on being requested to keep to his text, replied that a scattering shot would hit the most birds."

The indulgent reader (and of none but such can I expect favor,) will please to bear in mind this story, and forgive my unconnected rambling manner: for while meaning to hurt none, I would fain hit a great many.

But though there will be nothing of order or connection in my manner, I will try never to lose sight of my main subject—namely, the present distress, with notices of the several kinds of imprudence which have occasioned it, and with prescriptions for its cure. In pursuance of this plan, I shall use great freedom—seeing that truth breaks no bones of a man nor a woman. I shall speak my mind freely and roundly to both sort. I shall confabulate considerably with those useful bodies of men, the farmers and mechanics, and with their wives and daughters. I shall endeavour to open some deal with merchants. I shall read off, now and then, a greeting lesson in the year of idleness and extravagance, to whatever class, or whatever sex belonging. I shall carefully avoid meddling with the party politics of the day—not that I have no decided way of thinking about these matters but because I fain would chat without offence with the common folks of both sides. But enough of promises.—I here end my introduction, lest the porch should be too high for the house.

From the Savannah Museum.

Messrs. Editors,
The Narrative of the reformation contained in your paper of Thursday last, reminded me of the following

ANECDOTE.

It relates to a curious adventure, by which Ireland was saved from the persecutions of the unrelenting Queen Mary. It was originally copied from the papers of Richard, Earl of Cork.

Queen Mary having dealt severely with the Protestants in England, about the latter end of her reign, signed a commission for to take the same course with them in Ireland, & to execute the same with greater force, she nominated Dr. Cole one of the commissioners. This Doctor coming with his commission to Chester on a journey, the mayor of that city hearing that her majesty was sending a messenger into Ireland, and he being a Churchman, waited on the Doctor, who in discourse with the mayor tooketh out of a cloak bag a leather box, saying unto him, "Here is a commission that shall lash the heretics of Ireland," calling the Protestants by that title. The good woman of the house being well affected to the Protestant Religion, and also having a brother named Jno. Edwards, of the same, then a citizen of Dublin, was much troubled at the Doctor's words, but watching her convenient time while the mayor took his leave, and the doctor complimented him down the stairs, she opens the box, takes the commission out and places it in her pocket, she wraps up therein the knave of clubs being faced uppermost. The doctor coming up to his chamber suspecting nothing of what had been done, put up his box as formerly. The next day going to the water side, wind and weather serving him, he sails towards Ireland, and landed on the 7th of October, 1558, at Dublin. Then coming to the castle the lord Fitz Walter, being lord deputy, sent for him, to come before him, and the privy council, who coming in after he had made a speech, relating upon what account he came over, he presents the box unto the lord deputy, who causing it to be opened, that the secretary might read his commission, there was nothing save a pack of cards with the knave of clubs uppermost, which not only startled the lord deputy and council, but the doctor, who assured them he had a commission, but knew not how it was gone. Then the lord deputy made answer, "Let us have another commission and we will shuffle the cards in the mean while." The doctor being troubled in his mind, went away and returned to England, and coming to the court, obtained another commission, but staying for a wind on the waterside, news came to him

that the queen was dead; and thus God preserved the Protestants in Ireland.

Queen Elizabeth was so delighted with the story, which was related to her by Lord Fitz Walter, on his return to England, that she sent for Elizabeth Edmonos, whose husband's name was Mattershad, and gave her a pension of 40l. during life.

EMPEROR NAPOLEON.

LONDON, March 18.

Letter by order of the Emperor Napoleon, addressed by Gen. Count Montholon, to Sir Hudson Lowe, Governor of the Island of St. Helena.

GENERAL.—I have received the treaty of the 3d of August, 1815, concluded between his Britannic Majesty, the Emperor of Austria, the Emperor of Russia, and the King of Prussia, which accompanied your letter of the 23d of July.

The Emperor Napoleon protests against the contents of that treaty; he is not the prisoner of England. After having placed his abdication in the hands of the representatives of the nation, for the advantage of the constitution adopted by the French people, and in favor of his son, he repaired voluntarily and freely to England, with the view of living there, as a private individual, under the protection of the British laws. The violation of every law cannot constitute a right. The person of the Emperor Napoleon is actually in the power of England, but he neither has been nor is, in the power of Austria, Russia and Prussia, either in fact or of right, even according to the laws and customs of England, which never included, in the exchange of prisoners, Russians, Prussians, Austrians, Spaniards, or Portuguese, though united to these powers by treaties of alliance and making war conjointly with them.

The convention of the 2d of August concluded fifteen days after the Emperor was in England cannot have a right of any effect. It exhibits only a spectacle of the coalition of the four greatest powers of Europe for the oppression of a single man!—a coalition which the opinion of every nation and all the principles of sound morality equally disavow.

The Emperors of Austria and Russia, and the King of Prussia, having neither in fact or in right any claim over the person of the Emperor Napoleon, could decide nothing respecting him.

Had the emperor Napoleon been in the power of the emperor of Austria, that prince would have recollected the relations which religion and nature have formed between a father and a son—relations which are never violated with impunity.

He would have recollected that Napoleon had four times restored to him his throne; viz. at Leoben in 1797—at Lunéville in 1804—when his armies were under the walls of Vienna—at Presburgh in 1806, and at Vienna in 1809, when his armies had possession of the capital, and three fourths of the Monarch! That Prince would have recollected the protestations he made Napoleon at the bivouac of Moravia in 1806, and at the interview in Dresden in 1812.

Had the person of the emperor Napoleon been in the power of the emperor Alexander, he would have recollected the ties of friendship contracted at Tilsit, Erfurth, and during twelve years of daily correspondence.

He would have recollected the conduct of the emperor Napoleon the day after the battle of Austerlitz, when, though he could have made him, with the wreck of his army, prisoner, contented himself with taking his parole, and allowing him to operate his retreat. He would have recollected the dangers to which the emperor Napoleon personally exposed himself in order to extinguish the fire at Moscow, and to preserve that capital for him—assuredly, that prince would never have violated the duties of friendship and gratitude towards a friend in misfortune.

Had the person of the emperor Napoleon been in the power of the king of Prussia, that sovereign could not have forgotten that it depended on the emperor, after the battle of Friedland, to place another prince on the throne of Berlin. He would not have forgotten, in the presence of a disarmed enemy, the protestations of attachment and the sentiments of gratitude which he testified to him in 1812 at the interviews in Dresden.

It accordingly appears from articles 2 and 5, of the treaty of the 2d of August, that these princes, being incapable of exercising any influence over the disposal of the emperor, who was not in their power, accede to what

may be done thereon by his Britannic Majesty; who takes upon himself the charge of fulfilling every obligation. These princes have reproached the emperor Napoleon with having preferred the English laws to theirs. The false ideas which the emperor Napoleon had formed of the liberality of the laws of England, and of the influence of the opinion of a great, generous and free people over their government, decided him to prefer the protection of these laws to that of a father-in-law or an old friend.

The emperor Napoleon had it in his power to secure, by a diplomatic treaty, whatever was personal to himself either at the head of the army of the Loire, or at the head of the army of the Gironde, commanded by gen. Clausel; but wishing, henceforth, for nothing but retirement, and the protection of the laws of a freestate, either English or American, all stipulations appeared to him unnecessary. He conceived that the English people were more bound by a conduct which was, on his part, frank, noble, and full of confidence, than they would have been by the most solemn treaties. He had been deceived, but his error will forever cause true Britons to blush, and will, in the present as well as the future generations, be a proof of the bad faith of the English administration.

Austrian and Prussian commissioners are arrived at St. Helena. The object of their mission be the fulfilment of a part of the duties which the emperors of Austria and Russia have contracted by the treaty of the 2d of August, and to take care that the English agents, in a small colony in the midst of the ocean, do not fail in the respect due to a prince connected with these sovereigns by the bonds of relationship, and so many other ties, proofs of the character which belong to those two monarchs will be recognised in this proceeding but you, sir, have declared that these commissioners have neither the right nor the power of giving any opinion on what may be passing on this rock!

The English ministers have caused the Emperor Napoleon to be transported to St. Helena, at the distance of 2000 leagues from Europe! This rock, situated within the tropics, and 500 leagues from any continent, is subject to the devouring heats of these latitudes. It is covered with clouds and fogs during 3-4th of the year, & is at once the most arid and the most humid country in the world. Such a climate is most inimical to the health of the emperor, and hatred must have dictated the choice of this residence, as well as the instructions given by the English ministry to the officers commanding in the island.

They have even been ordered to call the Emperor Napoleon, general, as if it were wished to oblige him to consider himself as never having reigned in France.

The reason which determined him not to assume an incognito name, as he might have resolved to do on leaving France, were these; first magistrate for life of the republic, under the title of first consul, he concluded the preliminaries of London and the treaty of Amiens with the king of Great Britain; and received, as ambassadors, Lord Cornwallis, Mr. Merry, & Lord Whitworth, who resided in that quality at his court.

He accredited to the king of England, count Otto & general Andreossi, who resides as ambassadors at the court of Windsor. When, after an exchange of letters between the ministers for foreign affairs of the two monarchies, Lord Lauderdale came to Paris invested with full powers from the king of England, he treated with the plenipotentiaries possessing full powers from the emperor Napoleon, and remained for several months at the court of the Thuilleries, when lord Castlereagh afterwards signed, at Chatillon, the ultimatum, which the allied powers presented to the plenipotentiaries of the emperor Napoleon recognized by that the fourth dynasty. The ultimatum was more advantageous than the treaty of Paris, but in exacting that France should renounce Belgium and the left bank of the Rhine, it exacted what was contrary to the propositions of Frankfort, and the proclamations of the allied powers—what was contrary to his oath, by which, at his coronation, the emperor swore to maintain the integrity of the empire. The emperor, besides, thought that these natural limits were necessary, both for the security of France, & to preserve the equilibrium of Europe, he thought that the French nation in the situation in which it was, ought rather to run the hazard of all the chance of war, than to depart from that policy; France had obtained this integrity, and would have preserved it with ho-

nour, if treason had not arrayed itself in aid of the allies.

The treaty of the second of August and the act of the British parliament, called the Emperor Napoleon—Bonaparte and gave him only the title of general. The title of general Bonaparte, is doubtless eminently glorious.—The emperor bore it at Lodi, at Castiglione, at Elvold, at Arcole, at Leoben, at the Pyramids at Aboukir; but for seventeen years he has borne that of first consul and Emperor, which proves that he has been both first magistrate of the republic, sovereign of the fourth dynasty. Those who think that nations are flocks which belong of divine right in certain families, do not belong to the age, nor do they participate in the spirit of the English legislature, which has several times changed the order of its dynasty, because great changes had taken place in public opinion, in which the reigning princes not participating, they became enemies to the welfare of the great majority of the nation, for kings are only hereditary magistrates, who exist for the welfare of nations, and not nations for the satisfaction of kings.

It is in the same hateful spirit, that orders have been given that the Emperor Napoleon shall not be allowed to write or receive any letters, unless they are opened and read by the English Ministers and officers at St. Helena. They have interdicted to him the possibility of receiving intelligence from his wife, his mother, his son, or his brothers, and when in order to avoid, the inconvenience of having his letters read by subaltern officers, he wished to send letters sealed to the Prince Regent, he was told that the order could not be departed from, letters must pass open, such being the instructions of the ministry. This conduct needs no observation; it gives rise however, to strange ideas as to the spirit of the administration which could dictate what would be disavowed even at Algiers. Letters have arrived at St. Helena for the officers in the suite of the Emperor; they were broke open and transmitted to you, but you have not communicated them, because they did not come through the channel of the English ministry. Thus they had to go back 3000 leagues; and these officers had the grief of knowing, that there was in elligence on the rock, from their wives, their mothers, their children, and that they could not know the nature of it for six months.—The heart must solace itself!

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The Island of St. Helena is ten leagues in circumference; it is inaccessible every where; brigs surround the coast; posts are stationed on the shore within sight of each other which render impracticable any communication with the sea. There is only one small town [Jamestown] where there is an anchorage, and where vessels touch. To prevent an individual from quitting the Island, it is sufficient to guard the shore by land & sea. To lay an interdiction on the interior of the Island, can therefore, have no other object than to deprive him of a promenade of from eight to ten miles, which it would be possible to make on horse back and the position of which will shorten the way.

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A circuit is marked out of about
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tant, a camp is established on a hill,
and another camp in an opposite po-
sition at the same distance. In short,
in the midst of the heat of the tropic
there is nothing to be seen but camps.
Admiral Malcolm having learnt the
utility which the emperor would de-
rive from a tent in that situation, caused
one to be set up by the sailors, at
twenty paces distant in front of the
house; it was the only place in which
a shade could be found. The Empe-
ror had as much reason to be satisfi-
ed with the spirit that animated the
officers and soldiers of the brave 53d
regiment as he had been with the crew
of the Northumberland.

The house at Longwood was built to
serve as a barn for the company's farm;
the deputy governor of the island had
since built some chambers; it served him
for a country house, but was not in a
habitable state; workmen have been em-
ployed at it for a year, and the emperor
has been continually subjected to the in-
convenience and insubriety of inhabiting
a house in the progress. The chamber in
which he sleeps, is too small to contain a
bed of ordinary dimensions; but every
alteration at Longwood prolongs the in-
convenience of having workmen there.
There are, however, in this miserable
territory, beautiful situations, presenting
fine trees, gardens and good houses.
There is besides, a plantation house; but
the positive instruction of government
forbade you from giving up this house,
although much expense would thereby
have been saved to your government; an
expense incurred in fitting up at Long-
wood a hut, covered with paper, which is
already unserviceable.

You have interdicted all correspon-
dence between us and the inhabitants of
the island—you have in fact placed the
house at Longwood *au secret*—you have
even prevented any communication with
the officers of the garrison;—it seems,
therefore, to be your study to deprive us
of the little resource which this miserable
territory affords, and we are here just as
we should be on the insulated and unin-
habited Rock of Ascension. During the
four months that you have been at St.
Helena, you have, sir, rendered the situa-
tion of the emperor much worse. Count
Bertrand has observed to you that you
violate even the laws of your legislature,
and that you trample under foot the rights
of the emperor. You have replied, that you
act according to the letter of your instructions,
and that your conduct to us is not worse than
is dictated by them.

I have the honor to be,
Your very humble and very ob. servant,
The gen. count DE MONTHOLON.

After I had signed this letter, I receiv-
ed yours of the 17th August, in which you
submit the account of an annual sum of
20,000 sterling, which you consider in-
dispensable for the support of the expenses
of the establishment at Longwood, after
having made all the reductions which
you thought possible. We do not think
we have any thing to do with the discus-
sion of this point—the table of the ex-
penses is scarcely provided with strict ne-
cessaries, and all the provisions are of the
best quality. You ask of the emperor a
fund of 12,000 sterling, as your govern-
ment will only allow 2,000 for all the
expenses. I have already had the honor
of informing you that the emperor had
no funds, that for a year past he had
neither written nor received any letter,
and that he is altogether ignorant of what
has passed, or is passing in Europe.
Transported by force to this rock, with-
out being able to write or receive any an-
swer, the emperor is entirely at the mer-
cy of the English agents. The emperor
has always desired, and is still desirous,
to provide himself for all his expenses,
of whatever nature, and he will do it as
soon as you render it possible by taking
off the interdiction, laid upon the mer-
chants of the island, with regard to his
correspondence, and directing that it
should not be subjected to any inquisition
on your part or by any of your agents.
Thenceforth the wants of the emperor
would be known in Europe, and those
persons who interested themselves
in his behalf, might send him the funds
necessary to provide for them.

The letter of Lord Bathurst, which
you have communicated to me, gives
birth to strange ideas. Are your mini-
sters then ignorant that the spectacle of
a great man in captivity and adversity, is
a most sublime spectacle? Are they ig-
norant that Napoleon, at St. Helena, in
the midst of persecution of every descrip-
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renity, is greater, more sacred, and more
venerable than when seated upon the first
throne in the world, where for so long a
time he was the arbiter of kings? Those
who in such a situation are wanting to
Napoleon are blind to their own charac-
ter and that of the nation which they re-
present.

MONTHOLON.

Cheap Bread.
LINDSAY & HILL have just receiv-
ed and offer for sale,
63 bbls RYE FLOUR, which they
will sell low. May 3 St

ALEXANDRIA: SATURDAY, MAY 3, 1817.

The European journals inform us that
the great capital of the Muscovite empire
(Moscow) was, during the last winter,
so formidably invested by armies of
"RUGGED RUSSIAN BEARS," that the in-
habitants were compelled to encounter
them in regular military form—to make
sorties upon the growling besiegers, and
to bring a train of artillery in full force
against them. This is the second time
that splendid city has been attacked by
the ferine kind:—Before, by Bonaparte,
at the head of his apes—and now by the
hairy warriors of the woods. The former
was a foreign invasion—the latter a civil
war, and an insurrection of the LIBERTY
BEARS against the ROYAL BRUINS. On
which side our party papers in this coun-
try will range themselves on this occasion
(for it would be no foreign insurrection if
we, on this side of the Atlantic, did not
intermeddle with it) it is not difficult to
foresee—the democratic advocates and
patriots will of course be in favor of the
besiegers without the walls, and we and
our colleagues for the loyalists and legiti-
mates within. No doubt there are some
amongst us who will be rather puzzled for
a time how to decide;—whether in their
admiration of THE VIRTUOUS ALEXAN-
DER, they shall throw their weight into
the scale with the BRUINS, or for the sake
of consistency in appearance, and in con-
geniality of feeling, take part with the
shaggy malcontents and rally round the
standard of patriotic insurrection.—As
the latter however, are said to have had
the worst of it, and their plans have been
so far disconcerted that not more than
six hundred of them remained to keep
Moscow in check, it is probable their de-
mocratic friends here, despairing of their
cause, will make a virtue of necessity,
and be ready to put about and offer their
congratulations to their VIRTUOUS ALEX-
ANDER on his so happily quelling the in-
surrection against his crown and dignity.

In the mean time, it is not impossible
that many of those virtuous characters,
the defeated insurgents, will take advan-
tage of the truce, and get into the city
by the close of the winter, and get-
ting seated on good large rafts of ice, in
imitation of some of their British and
French brethren and compeer patriots,
take passage for this asylum of disap-
pointed patriots, whether in broad cloth
or in hair—on two legs or on four.

The fate of Moscow, however, has been
rather singular—One time beleaguered
with baboons—another by bears.—What
will be the next?—Will it be the armed
rhinoceros, or the Hyrcanian tigers?

Exchange Coffee House MARINE JOURNAL.

PORT OF ALEXANDRIA, MAY 1.
ENTERED,
Schr Echo, Cooke, Antigua
Sloop Regulator, Chadwick, NYork
Schr Nancy and Mary, Brewster, Bos-
ton.
Sloop Margaret, Hughes, NYork
Schr Hilan, Hand, Philadelphia
Team boat Union, Shreve, George-
town.

CLEARED,
Schr Philadelphia, Hand, Philadelphia
ARRIVED,
Brig Antelope, Low, Providence, N. I.
8 days; lime, rum, coffee, tea, sugar; to
J. G. Ladd and Co.
Schr Coquette, Vail, NYork, 5 days;
soap, candles, shoes, potatoes, apples,
beef, pork, &c. to Joel Crittenden, of G.
Town, and others.
Sloop John Hale, and schr Lancaster,
from Fredericksburg, with cargoes of
flour; to Lawrason and Fowle.

May 2.
No other arrivals, this day, than inland
vessels, with flour, lumber, &c.

SAILED,
Brig Virginia, Grimalds, WIndies.
Schr Philadelphia, Hand, Philadelphia

Whiskey.
JUST RECEIVED, 21 hogsheads of
Philadelphia WHISKEY,
For sale by
S. MARK & CO. St
May 5

Take Notice.
I HAVE on hand a very large assort-
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Elegant Parasols for Ladies,
Of all descriptions—and UMBRELLAS for
gentlemen—which I will sell for cash, on
the most moderate terms.

ALSO,
Silks of the best quality, to cover um-
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SAMUEL KIRK,
King street, Alexandria.
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Notice. THE Council will sit as a COURT OF APPEALS, on the sixth, seventh, and eighth days of May next.

L. P. THOMPSON, c. c.
The books will be in the Council
Chamber for examination on Monday the
5th May, where the assessors will attend
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Mrs. Haskins,
RESPECTFULLY informs the ladies
of Alexandria, that she has just re-
ceived and opened at her store on Fair
ax, a few doors above King-street, an
elegant assortment of
Millinery and Fancy Goods,
consisting of white chip and Leghorn
Straws, plain and common satin and silk
Bonnets, Parasols, Lencoes, &c. Also,
ladies' Corsets and Dresses made.

Just received from Philadelphia, an
elegant assortment of Laces, consisting
of Collarets, Spencers, Handkerchiefs,
black lace Shawls, Turbans.
And expects in a few days from Bes-
ton, a handsome assortment of straw
Hats
May 3 St

Notice. Fire Insurance Company of Alexan- dria.

THE Stockholders are hereby inform-
ed, that a dividend of one dollar
and twenty cents per share on each share
held by them, is this day declared, and
will be ready to be paid them, or their re-
presentatives, on Thursday the 8th in-
stant—One dollar per share of which will
be subject to the call of that sum, paya-
ble on that day.
The notes for the unpaid part of the
capital due the 5th & 8th inst. will be re-
newed, payable on the 5th of November
next. By order,
J. B. NICKOLLS, Sec'y.
May 3 St

Bank of Potomac, May 2d, 1817.

NOTICE is hereby given to the stock-
holders of the Bank of Potomac, that a
dividend of 4 per cent. on the capital
stock has been declared, and will be paid
them or their representatives on Wednes-
day next the 7th inst. By order of the
President and Directors.
C. PAGE, Cash'r.
May 3 4t

Lawrason & Fowle, MAY 2d, 1817.

RECEIVED per the schooner
NANCY & MARY, capt. Brew-
ster from Boston,
4 bbls. prime New Orleans Sugar
50 pieces yellow Nankeens
250 do blue do
3 bales company Bandanna Hdks.
Also for sale as above, the cargo of the
schr. Mary, capt. P. Rice, of
124 tons Plaster Paris
May 3

Bryan Hampson & Co.
OFFER for sale,
34 bbls. prime New Orleans Sugar
50 puncheons 3 and 4 proof Anti
guum, on reasonable terms.
May 3

Steam boat Washington
COMMENCES her Daily Trips
on Monday evening, 5th May.
She leaves the steam boat wharf every
evening (except Saturday evening) at
6 P. M. arrives at Thorny Point by 6
o'clock the next morning. Returns,
leaves Thorny Point at 8 A. M. and
arrives at Washington the same day,
in the afternoon.
May 3 St

For Sale,
A LIKELY young NEGRO MAN,
good House Servant, Ostler, or
Gardener. He will not be sold out of
neighborhood.
S. A. MARSTELLER
May 3 St

The editors of the National Intelligencer
will publish the above every other day
one week, and send their accounts to the
office.

Sugar, Corn, &c.
46 hds. } Prime Musco. Sugar
5 tierces }
4000 bushels Indian Corn
1500 Spanish Hides
233 bbls Tar
50 Pitch
50 Rosin
23 Turpentine
10 Spirits Turpentine
5 Varnish
For sale by
DANIEL SOMERS
thstu
may 1

Waggons Wanted.
OWNERS of substantial Road W-
aggons and Teams, may procure
Loading for Pittsburg, (Pa.)
on application to the Superintendent
Indian Trade, Georgetown.
April 30 2w

There will be Market for Butchers' Meat on Sunday next. May 1 St

Proposals
WILL be received until the 10th of
May, for the Carpenter's Work,
Brick Work, and Brick, of a new Church
to be erected for the use of St. Paul's
congregation. A plan will be shown, and
further particulars explained, on applica-
tion to the subscriber, who will also treat
for a Lot of Ground which may afford a
suitable acite for the building.
DANIEL MCLEAN,
On behalf of the building Committee
April 30

A Good Bargain
MAY be had of a Lot of Ground, 96
feet 5 inches on the south side of
Prince street, which is paved, and 88 feet
on the east-side of Henry street, bound-
ed back by a twenty feet alley.
ALEX. PERRY.
April 29 Sw

Lawrason & Fowle,
Have now landing and for sale,
50 bags fresh FIBBERTS
12 hogsheads New England RUM.
April 15

Spectacles found.
WAS found, some months since, a
pair of
Silver mounted Spectacles,
in a morocco case. The owner may have
them on application at the office of the
Alexandria Gazette, by paying the cost
of this advertisement, and leaving a
small gratuity for the finder.
May 2 St

**A Premium for good Clean
Wheat.**
TWENTY-ONE barrels of superfine
Flour, or money in equivalent, is
now given for six thousand pounds, say
one hundred bushels, of such Wheat of
first chop, clean and in good order, deliv-
ered at Cameron Mills. Three dollars
per bushel is the present market for such
wheat so delivered.

The flour of the Cameron brand sell-
higher than the bulk of other flour of the
place. Wheat so taken should be deliv-
ered in all the month of May, in order
that it may be ground out to have the
mills repaired in time for the new crop.
DAVID RICKETS
May 2 St

Notice to the Stockholders
of the Columbian Insurance Company
of Alexandria.—A dividend of
one dollar per share on each share held
by them, is this day declared, payable to
the stockholders of this institution, on or af-
ter Thursday the 8th inst. By order of
the board, WM. WILSON, Sec'y.
Columbian Insurance Office, May 1,
1817. May 2 6t

Duck, Nankeens, Rum, &c.
JOHN G. LADD & Co. have received
per schr Nancy and Mary, Captain
Brewster from Boston, and offer for
sale—
34 bolts Russia duck
7 bales yellow nankeens
23 pieces seersuckers
44 pieces bandannas and choppas
36 pieces Longu romals
1 bale Madras pattern hdks
50 barrels New England rum
75 tons plaster Paris
100 griststones
164 bushels potatoes
18 boxes no. 2 and 3 chocolate
20 barrels Glauber's salts
50 bundles cassia
Mens' thick shoes and tow cloth
For Washington, N. C.
The good schooner NANCY
& MARY, Cyrus Brewster
master, will be ready to re-
ceive freight in a few days
at low rates, for which or passage, Ap-
ply as above. May 2

Thomas J. Peyton & Co.
OFFER for sale at their store, at the
upper end of King-street,
40 bbls Baltimore Whiskey } excellent
10 hds New-Orleans Sugar } quality
ALSO,
A small assortment of DRY GOODS,
among which are, some elegant silk shawls
ought at auction, and sold at reduced
prices, with a general stock of groceries,
by retail. May 1 tf

Ten Dollars Reward.
RAN AWAY from the subscriber, on
Monday night the 20th instant, a
mulatto woman named MARY, formerly
the property of Mr. P. R. Beverly, of
this place. She is a middle aged woman,
and took with her her female child and
every article of clothing belonging to her.
The above reward will be given for ap-
prehending and lodging her in jail.
W. E. ARMISTEAD.
May 1

Shoes and Bonnets.
SAND D. REED have just received a
general assortment of SHOES.
ALSO,
2 boxes ladies straw Bonnets and straw
hats; all of which will be sold at redu-
ced prices for cash.
Country merchants can be sup-
plied at the Baltimore and Philadelphia
ices.
May 1 thstu6t

SALES AT AUCTION By JOHN JACKSON & Co.

THIS DAY, at 10 A. M.
Will be sold at the auction room Union
street

1 case domestic checks
1 Cotton cassimeres
1 cambric muslins
1 prints, good patterns
1 super London gingham
1 do cambric do
1 furniture dimities
1 common do
1 super linen tapes
1 domestic shirtings
1 Irish linens
1 cotton and silk shawls
1 colored and white thread assorted
1 assorted sewing silk
1 York stripes
1 white jeans
6 bales India cottons different kinds
1 bale super cloths

ALSO,
Real India searsucker; madras hdks;
Marseilles vestings; cambric muslins;
plaid silks; lutestrings; silk and cotton
hose and socks; black cambricks; ban-
dannas; lace veils and buttons; chitiz;
book muslins; long cloths; bedtickings;
baftas; checks, etc. etc.

Most of the above goods will be
sold on a credit of 2, 3 and 4 months for
approved endorsed notes, or a liberal dis-
count for cash.
May 2

On SATURDAY, at 5 P. M.
Will be sold at Bayne's
wharf, the good sloop SHAM-
ROCK, burthen 55 54-97ths
ons, is well found, and is
calculated for the lumber business. Terms
at the place of sale. May 2

**Prime Spring Goods at
Auction.**
On WEDNESDAY, 7th May,
Will be sold at our auction rooms, Union
street, a very large assortment of
**British, French, India, German,
and American Goods;**
on a credit of 60, 90, and 120 days, for
approved paper—consisting of
1 bale superfine fashionable cloths
1 case 40 pieces twilled cords and
velvets
1 50 do India book muslin
1 100 do jaconet muslin
1 100 do retent a la torn shir-
ting

1 bale 50 pieces bombazettes
1 50 do twilled do
1 case 50 dozen men's cold cotton
stockings
3 2000 yds chambrays
3 3000 do domestic plaids
2 2000 do superior gingham
1 1500 do do do
1 1000 do cotton cassimeres
1 ladies' cotton hose 50 dozen
1 100 pieces best bandanna
handkerchiefs

2 200 do sup Madras do
2 100 do 7 8 chintz
2 100 do 7 8 calicoes
1 best Marseilles quilting
2 fine 4 and 6 4 cambrics
2 bales rattinets
1 case bleached domestic shirtings
1 brown do do
1 box 1st quality brown holland
1 German dowlas
1 bale 100 pieces German rolls
10 burlaps
10 best Hempen osnaburgs
10 ticklenburgs
5 boxes white do
3 bales Hessians
1000 pieces India cottons
200 do India check hdks.
1 case tapes
1 prints
1 London gingham
1 colored thread

The above described goods, are now
landing from vessels from the eastward,
and will be opened on Monday, when
they can be viewed. On same day will
be offered
10,000 lbs. prime green coffee.
May 2

Millinery.
MRS. M. MOONEY, respect-
fully informs the ladies of Alex-
andria. That she has just received
from on board the sloop Margaret, a
very elegant assortment of collarets,
Turbans & Turban fronts. First
quality white chip Flatins and bands,
white and black lace Shawls, white
lace handkerchiefs with chemise bor-
ders.

And expects in a few days to re-
ceive the Spring fashions from Balti-
more, Philadelphia and N. York, with
a handsome supply of Leghorn, straw
hats, artificial flowers &c.

May 2 8s

Coffee, Tea, Sugar, &c.
JOHN G. LADD & Co.
HAVE received per brig Antelope,
captain Low, from Providence,
and offer for sale,
200 bags prime green coffee
30 barrels Muscovado sugar
22 chests young hyson tea
25 hogsheads New-England rum
209 casks stone lime
May 2

Grocery stand to Rent.
THE store and dwelling at present occupied by the subscriber, situated on Vowell's wharf—it is one of the best stands for a grocery in the town of Alexandria, and has been occupied as one a number of years—it will be rented for four years. Apply to
WM. GARNER.
may 1

For Sale,
A TWO story Frame House and Lot, situated on St. Asaph street. For terms, apply to
JOHN A. LONGDEN.
april 17

To Rent
A CONVENIENT well finished Brick House, on West street, fit for a genteel family—Or the one now occupied by the subscriber.
JAMES SANDERSON.
april 21

For Sale,
OUR interest in the Property, corner of King and Royal sts. (being one half) now in the occupancy of W. & F. Marbury, John Austen, Jonathan Scholfield and Prestly Jacobs.
WM. A. HARPER,
JAS. HARPER.
april 21

TO RENT,
For one or a term of years, and immediate possession given—
MY WHARF & WAREHOUSE—being on the corner of Prince and Union streets, adjoining the fish market and the landing of the upper ferry, renders it a good place for a store. The house is large, & will hold in two rooms twenty thousand bushels of salt or grain.
William Hepburn.
april 10

For Sale.
The subscriber will sell the House and Lot on Fairfax street he at present occupies. Whoever wishes to purchase, will of course view the property.
WM. HARPER, Jun.
april 2

FOR SALE,
A tract of Land containing 357 acres, more or less, lying on Occoquan Bay in the county of Fairfax and state of Virginia, adjoining the lands of Robert I. Thompson and William Mason. One half of the tract was purchased by the subscriber in 1812, and the balance at 12, & 18 months, with a deed of trust to secure the payments.
Thompson F. Mason.
December 14.

Land for Sale.
A tract or parcel of Land, containing between two and three hundred acres, on the north side of Occoquan, in Fairfax county, about 5 miles west of Occoquan mills. It is well watered with never failing springs, it is also well timbered, and the great quantity of fur timber on it renders it the more valuable to any person in the cooperating line. This land is of the middle soil, and produces corn, wheat or any other grain tolerable well—there is about 100 acres cleared and under good fence. The improvements are a good dwelling house & other out houses, and a good apple orchard of about sixty trees.
ALSO,
One other tract in the same county, within three miles of Occoquan, lying on Sandy Run, containing 47 acres—one half in cultivation and under good fence, the remainder heavily timbered. There are on the premises an old framed dwelling house and out houses and an apple orchard of eighty bearing trees.
Any person inclining to purchase can view the premises and know the terms by applying to the subscriber who lives near them.
Thomas Gossom
November 30
9 months

For Sale,
THAT substantially built & elegantly finished three story Brick Dwelling House on Water-street, formerly the residence of the late Dr. Kennedy, with which will be sold, either conjointly or separately, the adjoining vacant Lot, 25 feet front and 120 feet deep. The terms of sale will be very accommodating to the purchaser.
If this property be not sold previously to the 15th of May next, it will then be for Rent and possession given immediately thereafter.
Application may be made to
J. L. McKenna.
april 24

NOTICE.
Fire Insurance Company of Alexandria,
Insurance Office, March 10, 1817.
THE Stockholders in this institution are hereby notified that they are required to pay at this office, an instalment of one dollar per share on each share of stock respectively held by them, on or before the 8th day of May next.
By order of the President & Directors.
J. B. NICKOLLS, Sec'y.
March 11
law 8th May

Ice Creams,
EVERY DAY for the season, to be had of
LOUIS BEELER:
Who has received and for Sale,
40 boxes fresh Lemons
5 do Oranges
10 do Turkey Figs
10 bags Filberts
60 boxes Muscatel Raisins
april 15
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Hardware.
BUTTS & CAWOOD, have received and offer for sale, at their store upper end of King street, on moderate terms, a small consignment of HARDWARE—among which are,
Falling axes, broad ditto, adzes
Setts of furniture, coopers' beak irons
Bung borers, grid irons
Drawing knives, cutlasses & sheaths
A general assortment of coopers' tools of every description
Cast iron pots, 2 cast iron chests
Steelyards, pick axes, chisels
Masons' hammers, smoothing planes
Jack planes, nails of different sizes
Chaise springs, one dozen crow bars, large and fit for carriages, &c.
5 puncheons superior Antigua RUM.
april 19
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Notice.
A general meeting of the subscribers of shares in the Alexandria Canal Company, will be held in the town of Alexandria on the 12th day of May next, at the City Hotel, agreeable to law.
april 21

Notice.
THE Council will sit as a COURT OF APPEALS, on the sixth, seventh, and eighth days of May next.
I. P. THOMPSON, c. c.
april 22
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Notice.
THE Stockholders of the Great Hunting Creek Bridge Company are informed that an election will be held at the Bridge, on Monday the 5th day of May next, to appoint a President, four Directors, and a Treasurer.
THO. VOWELL, Treasurer.
april 24
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LOST.
A Check drawn by C. Smith, Cashier on the Mechanic's Bank of Baltimore in favor of John Cox, and by him endorsed dated 21st January, for 25,000 dollars, written on a quarter sheet of letter paper, the holder is requested to return it to the subscriber, who will give a reward of 10 dollars for its recovery.
Burr Mill Stone Manufactory.
THE subscriber has received a large supply of BURR BLOCKS direct from France, and has commenced making Burr Mill Stones, at his shop, upper end of King street, near the store of Mr. James Anderson, where he can on a short notice, furnish Stones of any size, warranted equal to any in the United States and on the most reasonable terms.
Michael Quigly.
april 6

Joseph Spear,
Respectfully informs his friends and customers that he has removed from his old stand to King street, between Patrick and Alfred streets, opposite to Mr. Isaac Gibson's; where he has on hand a quantity of
Cabinet Furniture
Of the newest fashions, and made by the best workmen, which he will sell very low. He is thankful for past favors and solicits a continuance of the public patronage.
april 2

Potomac and Shenandoah Navigation Lottery.
THE drawing of the Lottery will be recommenced on Monday the third of February next.
Tickets to be had of Joseph Brewer, at the Commissioner's Office in Georgetown, and of Jonah Thompson, Agent of said Lottery, in Alexandria.
Elie Williams, Pres't.
December 27

Notice.
THE subscriber is solely authorized to receive all debts owing to the late firm of JAMES FLEMING & Co. Being desirous to settle the demands upon said firm as speedily as possible, he requires all those resident in the country indebted thereto, to pay their balances to him on or before the 10th day of May next. He will be under the necessity of ordering suits against those who do not comply.
SAM'L B. LARMOUR.
April 11

NOTICE.
IN consequence of being entitled to three negroes in the possession of Wm. Hummer, of Loudon County, Va. by the first of January as a freeman—he is about names of Susan, Jerry and Sam, which did demand before two witnesses, on the 18th day of April 1817, of said Hummer and shall prosecute at law to obtain the same, and he will make under a deed of gift from Samuel Dower or Baltimore or Philadelphia. I will and Mary his wife, to their daughter give the above reward if secured in any Sarah Doser, (my wife) and for to prevent said negroes to be conveyed, sold to some innocent purchaser, I give this notice to prevent others from buying, &c. and being deceived in the purchase.
WM. C. NEWTON.
april 21

For Rent,
A CONVENIENT and comfortable HOUSE, on the lower end of Royal-street, adjoining the house now occupied by Captain Markley. Possession may be had immediately.
N. B. It has dry, paved cellars, with a good stable, smoke house and garden.
JOHN T. BROOKS.
april 11

Paper for Sale.
DAVID & J. ROSS have received per ship Potomac, from Genoa, 87 bales writing paper, assorted Which they offer for sale on very low terms. They keep a constant supply of first quality chewing tobacco for sale by the quantity.
Dec 17

Sugar.
31 hds. very choice Barbadoes Sugar, landing on Merchant's wharf from schr George Washington, for sale by
BARNWELL & POPHAM.
april 25
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Little River Turnpike Stock WANTED;
For which cash will be paid at the Fire Insurance Office.
February 13

A few Shares of Mechanics' Bank Stock, for sale.
Apply to the Printer.
Jan 2

Fish Barrels for Sale.
One hundred and thirty Fish Barrels or sale by
Camillus Griffith
april 2

For Sale,
A few casks Messrs Mordock, Youille, Widdrop and Co's London Particular Madeira—Quality, fine
W HODGSON
Jan 31

Tea, Gin, &c.
LAWSON & FOWLE have landed from the brig Cobbessee-Contee captain Howes, from Boston, and for sale
20 chests superior quality young hyson tea just imported
3 bales Russia sheetings
9 hds } American gin
2 bbls }
50 bbls New England rum
april 25

Fresh Teas, LAWSON AND FOWLE
15 chests fresh young hyson
50 bags Batavia sugar
4 Hogsheads Muscadado do
15 boxes fresh Turkey Figs
185 Reams wrapping paper
4 bales Burboon & Cattara gurrals
1 case Indigo
april 4

P. G. Marsteller,
Has for sale at his Auction Store, the sails and rigging of a schooner nearly new—viz.
Mainsail (of English Canvass)
Bresail
Gib
Fry sail
Two Stays
Bowsprit
Shrouds, Pendant, Ensign and Signal Flag.
april 26

Spring Goods.
RECEIVED by the subscribers, at their Warehouse on King-street, the brig Eliza Ann, from Dublin, a general assortment of CUT and PLAIN GLASS, consisting of
Elegant oval & square Lemonades
Wine coolers
Egg cups
Rock glasses
Tint bottles
Vases
Caster bottles
Nipple shells
Large specious mol.
Jan. Patties
Inks
Mustards
Urinals
Pitchers, &c. &c. &c.
april 26

TRIPLETT & NEALE.
Alex'a, April 17.

Ten Dollars Reward.
RAN AWAY from the subscriber, on Sunday the 6th April, a black man, by the name of Julius, but calls himself HENRY, when from home; he is three negroes in the possession of Wm. Hummer, of Loudon County, Va. by the first of January as a freeman—he is about names of Susan, Jerry and Sam, which did demand before two witnesses, on the 18th day of April 1817, of said Hummer and shall prosecute at law to obtain the same, and he will make under a deed of gift from Samuel Dower or Baltimore or Philadelphia. I will and Mary his wife, to their daughter give the above reward if secured in any Sarah Doser, (my wife) and for to prevent said negroes to be conveyed, sold to some innocent purchaser, I give this notice to prevent others from buying, &c. and being deceived in the purchase.
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Public Sale.
By virtue of a deed of trust to the subscriber, will be exposed to sale, before the door of the City Hotel, on SATURDAY the 17th May, at half past 12 o'clock—
TWO LOTS of GROUND, with all the improvements thereon, situate at the intersection of King and Fayette streets, in the town of Alexandria. The first beginning at the northwest corner of the intersection of said streets, and running northwardly with Fayette street one hundred feet to a ten feet alley, thence westwardly with the alley sixty-one feet eight and a half inches, thence southwardly with a line parallel with Fayette street one hundred feet on King street, thence eastwardly with King street one foot eight and a half inches to the beginning. The second beginning at the north west corner of the intersection of the aforesaid alley with Fayette street and running northwardly with Fayette street sixty six feet seven inches, thence westwardly and parallel to the said alley and King street one hundred and twenty three feet five inches, thence southwardly and parallel to Fayette street sixty six feet seven inches to said alley, thence eastwardly with said alley one hundred and twenty three feet five inches to the beginning. TERMS, \$1000 in hand, and the balance on a credit of 6, 12 and 18 months, for approved endorsed negotiable notes, together with a lien upon the property.
WM. HERBERT, jun.
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april 14

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Sales at Auction.
On Wednesdays and Saturdays, WILL BE OFFERED, At the Auction Office on Union street, Between King and Prince—
A N extensive and general assortment of seasonable Goods, of British, French, German, India, and Domestic Manufacture, which will be well selected, and well worthy the attention of town and country merchants and others; as the undersigned will be abundantly supplied from the manufacturers and their friends in Boston, New York and Philadelphia—which will give to gentlemen an opportunity of laying in their goods on as good terms as they can be in those cities, taking into view the difference of Exchange, etc. etc.
The particular description of goods will be advertised in the papers of the day.
Consignments strictly attended to and liberal advances made if desirable.
John Jackson & Co.
Auctioneers.
November 27

SALES AT VENDUE.
On every Tuesday and Friday, WILL BE SOLD, At the Vendue Store, corner of Prince and Water Streets,
A VARIETY OF Dry Goods, Groceries, &c. Particulars of which will be expressed in the bills of the day.
All kind of goods which are on imitation and the prices of which are established, can at any time be viewed and purchased at the lowest limitation and prices.
P. G. MARSTELLER.

John W. Massie and Co.
Have just received at their Hardware Store on King street, next door to Roberts and Allen—
A quantity of Plough Plates and Swedish tire iron—also, an assortment of bench and moulding planes of a superior quality; Waldron's cradling and grass scythes, spades and shovels; broad hoes; best N. Scotia grindstones; iron trace chains; iron pans; flaggilt, mahogany and maple frame looking glasses; mill, cross cut, pit & hand saws; Crow, ley and Swedish steel; English & American blistered do; together with a general assortment of Goods in their line—all of which they will sell on good terms.
april 8

PUBLIC UTILITY.
The interest of the Manufacture of the United States, has become a concern for the Mount Hebron Cotton Mills, and offers for sale at his Store on Prince street,
A general assortment of Cotton Yarn At the Baltimore prices.
The quality of this Yarn has given general satisfaction to those who have purchased heretofore. All orders will be punctually attended to.
The Public are also informed, that a machine of superior construction is in operation at said mill for carding Wool—the work will be executed in the best manner. To accommodate customers to this machine, he will receive at his store any parcels of Wool, forward them to the mill, and the rolls returned to his store for delivery. The wool should be washed clean, and oiled with clean soft oil, accompanied with a blanket, it being the most suitable for the preservation of the rolls when carded.
Terms of Carding.
Country Wool 10 cents per lb
Halt blood Merino 12 1/2
Full blood do 15—and an addition of two cents per lb for country—two and an half cents for halt blood, & three cents for full blood when the carder finds oil.
Mordecai Miller.
March 22
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RAN AWAY from the subscriber, living near Battletown, Frederick county, Virginia, on Sunday the 15th instant, a negro man named DANIEL, about 5 feet 7 or 8 inches high and about 21 years of age, well proportioned and active, round faced, plump eyes, a good set of teeth, and